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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 1632"

Docket No. 210217US0  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Ichiro YAMASHITA  
SERIAL NO: 09/893,666  
FILED: June 29, 2001  
FOR: HIGH ESTROGEN-SENSITIVE MEDAKA FISH



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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment and Request for Reconsideration** in the above-identified application.

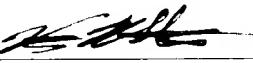
No additional fee is required  
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
 Additional documents filed herewith: Enclosed cited reference Tanaka et al, Zoological Science, 18, pp. 615-622 (2001)

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated June 30, 2003, respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 2 of this response.

**Support for the Amendment** begins on page 7 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this response.

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